

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

August 7, 2019



Oceano Dunes State Vehicular Recreation Area, the only location in California where you can drive onto the beach and camp on it, San Luis Obispo County.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

2019 National Test of the Emergency Alert System

The Federal Emergency Management Agency, in coordination with the Federal Communications Commission and radio television Emergency Alert System (EAS) participants, will conduct a nationwide test of EAS beginning at 1120 hours, on Wednesday, 08/07/19. The test utilizes the Integrated Public Alert and Warning System (IPAWS) and will assess the operational readiness of the Nation's alert and warning infrastructure for distribution of a national message.

- The California State Warning Center (CSWC) and Cal OES Regions will be monitoring and work with the Operational Areas to troubleshoot any issues they may experience.

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

Active Shooter, Gilroy Garlic Festival, Santa Clara County

On 07/28/19 at approximately 1800 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) was notified of an active shooter situation at the Gilroy Garlic Festival in Santa Clara County.

Activations

- The City of Gilroy EOC is fully activated at Level 3 (highest).
 - The EOC is expected to remain activated through 08/11/19.

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

Potential Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS)

On 08/04/19 at 1200 hours, Southern California Edison (SCE) notified the CSWC of their decision to activate their Operation Emergency Center (OEC) for a potential Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) event in Los Angeles County.

- SCE is at PSPS stage “Activating PSPS Protocols / Potential to De-energize”.
- No decision has been made to de-energize; SCE is monitoring conditions.
- 2 circuits are currently being monitored (Shovel & Showdown circuits)
- 2,141 total customers could potentially be impacted.
 - 43 medical baseline customers have been identified.
 - 17 critical care customers have been identified.
- Potential de-energization times by county:
 - Los Angeles County, 1500 hours on 08/06/19 to 1800 hours on 08/07/19

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2019-FIRE-402: Incident Number: CA-CDF-000127. Request for five 20-person Hand Crews each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials. 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill. Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 Crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

CAL OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report

CAL OES COASTAL REGION

Mill, Vegetation Fire, Monterey County

Location: West of Fort Hunter Liggett

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA Los Padres National Forest

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Chief as of 08/07/19 at 0732 hours:

- 310 acres (+0), grass, 95% contained (+25% containment)
- Minimal fire behavior with smoldering
- Limited access due to steep terrain
- Continued road and trail closures

CAL OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- There are no lifeline closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no emergency center activations.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

9-1-1 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations

- None reported.

Service Interruptions

- None reported.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Red Flag Warning in effect from 1400 to 2100 hours today for strong gusty wind with low relative humidity.
 - Impacts: Strong, gusty wind with low relative humidity and high fire danger will likely contribute to a significant spread of any new and existing fires.
 - Affected area: Northeast portions of the Klamath National Forest and the Modoc National Forest, mainly north and west of Alturas
 - Wind: Southwest 10 to 15 mph with gusts up to 25 mph
 - Humidity: 8 to 12 percent

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- There may be just enough moisture and instability to allow for isolated shower and thunderstorm development in the mountains of Ventura and Los Angeles County (excluding the Santa Monicas), and adjacent portions of the Antelope Valley this afternoon and early this evening.
 - The main threat with any thunderstorm would be dry lightning and gusty chaotic winds.
 - The combination of very warm and dry conditions with moderate onshore winds will bring elevated to brief critical fire weather conditions across all interior areas today, especially the Highway 14 corridor from Santa Clarita Valley to Antelope Valley, and the Los Angeles county mountains.
 - Any fire ignitions during the afternoon hours across interior wind sheltered areas will also have the potential for significant vertical plume growth.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

08/07/19 - 08/13/19

Wednesday-Thursday

- Cooling trend continues through Thursday, with areas of Moderate heat risk in the Southern Region.
- Afternoon thunderstorms possible in southeastern Southern Region Wednesday and Thursday.
- Warm, breezy, and dry conditions will continue to produce elevated fire weather concerns for portions of the Inland areas with locally gusty onshore winds this week.
 - **Red Flag Warning** in effect for Siskiyou County from the Cascade Mountains East and South to Mt. Shasta-Modoc County Except for the Surprise Valley Klamath Basin and the Fremont-Winema National Forest from 2 PM to 9 PM tonight.

Friday-Tuesday

- Cooling trend continues through Sunday.
 - Moderate heat impacts expected to continue in portions of the San Joaquin Valley and inland valleys and desert portions of the Southern Region resume.
- Very slight chance for isolated thunderstorms over the high Sierra and Cascade Mountains through Sunday.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

08/07/19 - 08/13/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds							
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	High Sierra /SE CA	High Sierra /SE CA	High Sierra	High Sierra/Mt. Shasta	High Sierra/Mt. Shasta		
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland Region/ Cascade Mts.	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions
Heat Risk	Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Inland/ Southern
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Extreme Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts

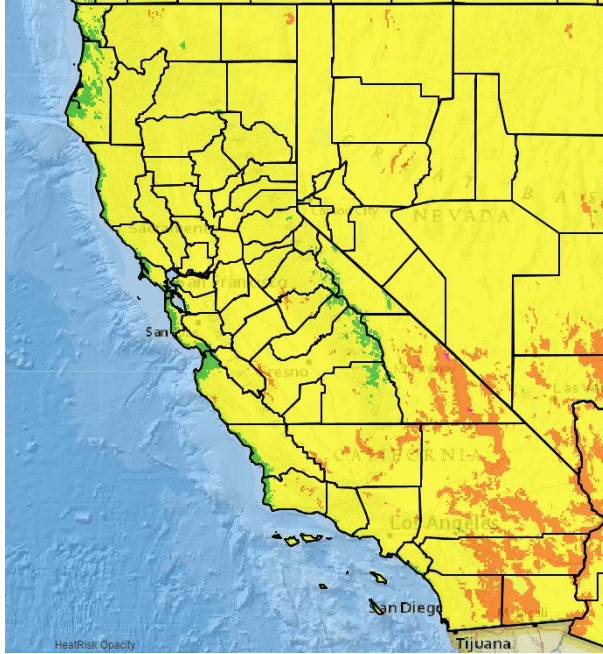


Moderate Impacts

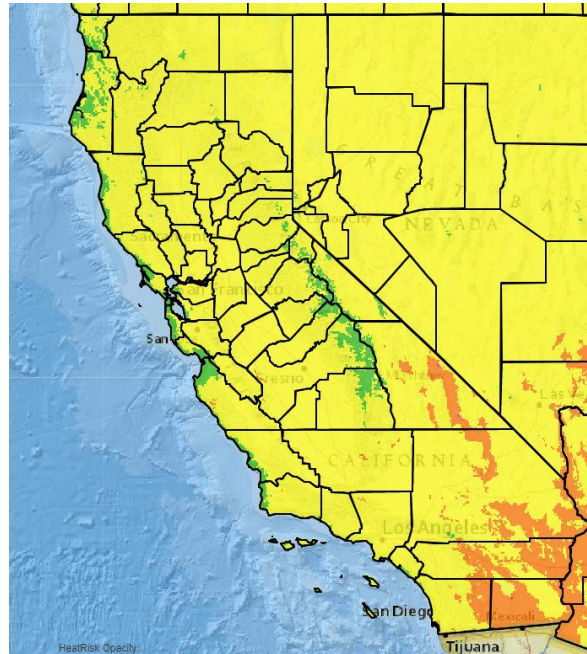


Severe Impacts

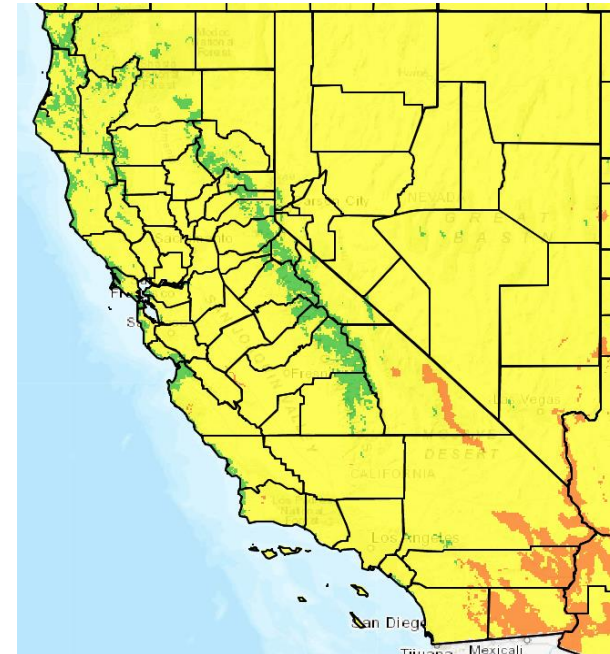
EXPERIMENTAL HEAT RISK FORECAST



Wednesday, August 7



Thursday, August 8



Friday, August 9

Category	Level	Meaning
Green	0	No Elevated Risk
Yellow	1	Low Risk for those extremely sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration
Orange	2	Moderate Risk for those who are sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration

Category	Level	Meaning
Red	3	High Risk for much of the population, especially those who are heat sensitive and those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration
Magenta	4	Very High Risk for entire population due to long duration heat, with little to no relief overnight



<https://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/heatrisk/>

WEATHER OUTLOOK

08/12/19 - 08/20/19

6-10 Day Outlook (August 12 – August 16)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Weak signal for below normal precipitation in southeast California, with near normal precipitation expected across the remainder of the state

8-14 Day Outlook (August 14 – August 20)

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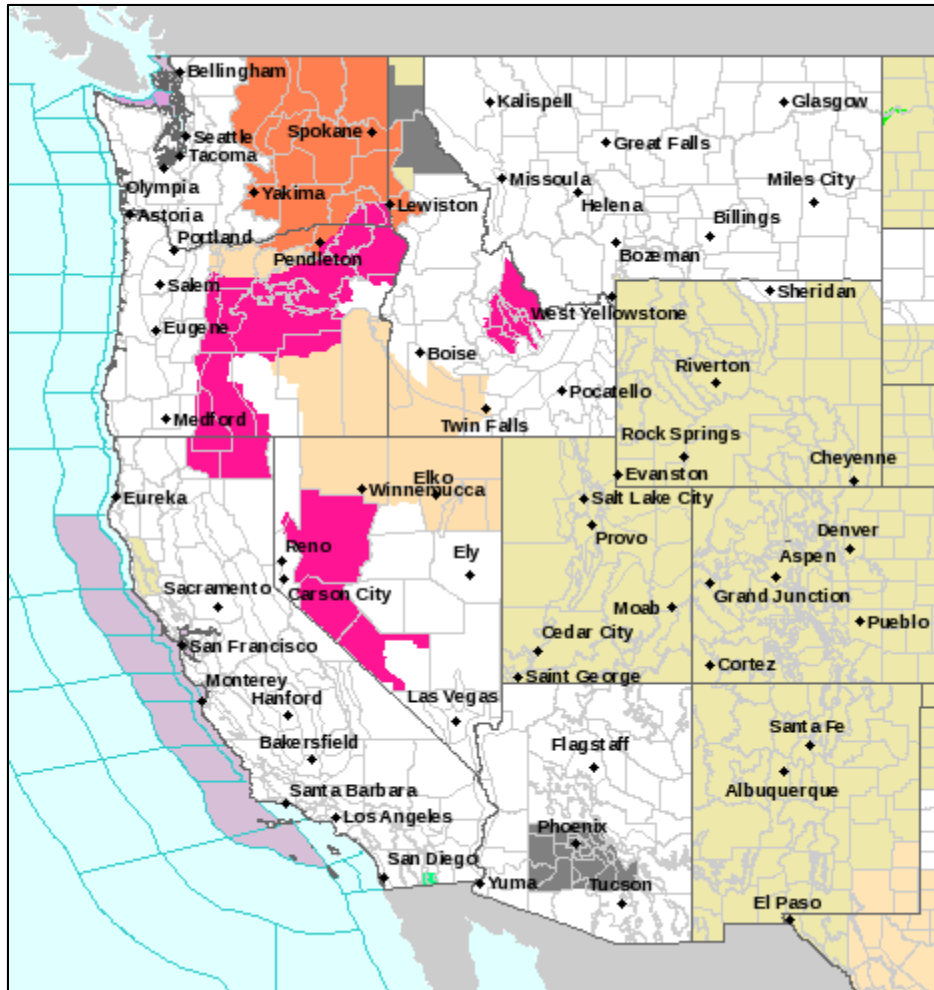
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WEATHER MAP



- [Flood Warning](#)
- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Heat Advisory](#)
- [Flood Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Air Quality Alert](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-4361, 08/07/19, 0130 hours:** Sacramento Sheriff's Office requested a trailing canine for a missing, "At Risk", 32 year old female that walked away from her residence in the city of Rio Linda. She has diminished mental capacity. The female was last seen at 2200 hours on Tuesday, 08/06/19. Placer County Search & Rescue was contacted and provided a canine for the search. **MISSION ONGOING**
- **2019-LAW-4347, 08/06/19, 1524 hours:** IERCC reported an In-Reach activation in the Kings Canyon National Park (37.013025, -118.458967) of Fresno County. A 63 year old male messaged that he had injured his hip and was unable to walk. IERCC contacted Sequoia Kings National Park (SEKI) dispatch and provided the mission details. The Cal OES Law Branch confirmed with SEKI and offered assistance. SEKI advised they would be handling the rescue efforts. **MISSION ONGOING**

Closed Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-4355, 08/06/19, 1730 hours:** AFRCC advised of a PLB activation in Fresno County near Horse Corral Meadows just north of Tulare County (36 45.00 / 118 45.00W). The device activated twice at 1643 and 1645 hours but then went into "No detection alert mode." The Cal OES Law Branch attempted contact with the registered owner and the listed emergency contact but was met with negative results. Fresno County Sheriff's Office was provided the mission information and began with a response. The AFRCC is continuing to monitor and will provide Cal OES Law Branch with updates if the device is re-activated. At approximately 2300 hours, the Fresno County Sheriff's Office arrived at the coordinates and was unable to locate anyone related to the PLB. They searched the area for a period of time and cleared when no emergency situation was discovered. The AFRCC was notified of the outcome by Cal OES at approximately 0100 hours on 08/07/19. **MISSION CLOSED**
- **2019-LAW-4337, 08/05/19, 1824 hours:** LA County requested 20 Type I / II ground search to search for a 31 year old female missing from LA County under suspicious circumstances. The search will be in an undisclosed area of San Bernardino County and is scheduled for Thursday, 08/08/19. San Bernardino Sheriff and LA Sheriff will coordinate their response and may use other resources as needed. **Update 08/06/19, 1700 hours:** Kern, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, San Diego and Orange County Sheriff Offices had agreed to assist with the search and were planning attendance. **Update 08/06/19, 2000 hours:** LASD contacted Cal OES to cancel the search. No details were provided as to why or if it would be rescheduled. Cal OES made contact with the (5) County Sheriff Offices and requested all resources to stand until further notice. **MISSION CLOSED**
- **2019-LAW-4333, 08/5/19, 1610 hours:** IERCC reported an In Reach activation at 37.697761 -119.147050, which plots to the Ediza Trail near Shadow Lake in Madera County. The user of the device reported an injured hiker with a sprained ankle. Incident referred to Madera County. Madera contacted the device user and determined the injured subject would shelter in place overnight pending an extraction plan, if needed. On 08/06/19 at approximately 1600 hours Madera Sheriff's Office had located and assisted the injured hiker to safety. **MISSION CLOSED**

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- Nothing significant to report



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